

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PAPER-II

18. How many principal organs does the United Nations have?
(A) 5 ✓(B) 6 (C) 10 (D) 12
19. The QUAD includes:
(A) US, Japan, Australia, New Zealand (B) US, Japan, UK, Australia, New Zealand
✓(C) US, UK, Australia, South Korea (D) None of these
20. AUKUS aims for:
(A) Building space program for India (B) Making submarines for the UK
(C) Developing nuclear-powered submarines for Australia ✓(D) None of these

PART-II

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS
PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES

PART-I (MCQS) MAXIMUM MARKS = 20
PART-II MAXIMUM MARKS = 80

- NOTE: (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.
(ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks.
(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.
(iv) Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.
(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.
(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

- Q. No. 2. Elaborate as to whether we are living in a unipolar, bi-polar or multipolar world. Does the emerging scenario increase or decrease the possibility of military conflicts? Support your answer with reasons. (20)
- Q. No. 3. Elaborate in detail the development of the QUAD and AUKUS strategic partnerships and their implications for regional stability. How is it likely to impact Pakistan's strategic interests and our foreign policy options? (20)
- Q. No. 4. Differentiate between the concepts of nuclear disarmament and arms control. Discuss the prospects of an arms control regime between the two South Asian nuclear rivals (i.e. India and Pakistan). (20)
- Q. No. 5. Elaborate as to why Russia attacked Ukraine and whether there is a possibility of NATO having directly involved in this conflict, in the near future? (20)
- Q. No. 6. Discuss the Chinese sponsored rapprochement between Iran and Saudi-Arabia and its likely impact upon the role of United States in the Middle East. (20)
- Q. No. 7. It is often commented that Stalin come out as the winner from the Yalta Conference held in 1845. Comment. (20)
- Q. No. 8. What impact is the expansion of BRICS and its effort towards de-dollarization, likely to have on the international political economy? (20)
